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AMENDMENT AND RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed on September 27, 2005 in connection with the above-identified patent application (Paper No./Mail Date 20050210), please enter the following amendments and consider the following arguments.

The present Amendment and Response is accompanied by: (1) a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement, (2) a Substitute Sequence Listing, (3) a Sequence Submission Statement, (4) a corrected Figure 5, (5) a copy of Figure 2 of U.S. Provisional Patent Application Serial No. 60/066,364, and (6) a Declaration of Incorporation by Reference. The entry and consideration of these documents is respectfully requested.

Amendments to the Specification begin on page 2 of this paper.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims that begin on page 3 of this paper.

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